Cerebral Palsy

Children's Special Health Parent's Sheet

Description

Cerebral Palsy is characterized by a non-progressive impairment of movement and posture resulting from brain injury or anomaly occurring early in development. The manifestations of the movement disorder may change with growth and maturation, however, the primary brain disorder is static. A child may manifest any of the following:

- Hemiplegia
- Diplegia
- Quadriplegia
- Triplegia
- Monoplegia

Cerebral Palsy is classified by the anatomical distribution of the dysfunction and type of neurological involvement. The types of neurological involvement are:

- Spastic
- Dyskinetic (athetoid and dystonic)
- Ataxic
- Mixed (i.e. spastic-athetoid, spastic-ataxic)
- Atonic

What services will CSH cover?

- Only **providers** listed on the Eligibility Letter will be paid
- Labs/Tests must be performed by a Wyoming Medicaid provider
- Well Child Checks (coverage limited to Pediatrician) according to AAP Periodicity Schedule
- Medications
 - Pre-approval through CSH required
- Equipment/Supplies
 - PRE-Authorization required

Contact CSH for questions regarding additional medication and/or equipment/supplies

Minimum requirements for coverage to continue with CSH:

- Compliance of medical care and care coordination
- Annual review with Public Health Nurse, financial eligibility
- Please keep your Public Health Nurse informed of any changes throughout the year for example: address, provider, diagnosis and/or insurance coverage
- Keep in contact with the local Public Health Office for additional requirements





